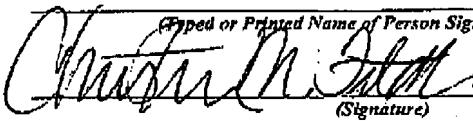


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Sir:

In response to the Office action dated 06/27/07, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified case in view of the following remarks.

REMARKS

Claims 1-10 stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 102(b) as being anticipated by Heeger et al. (WO 95/01871) for the reasons of record. The rejection of these claims is respectfully traversed because Heeger et al. do not teach or suggest Applicant's hole-transport layer comprising a cured polysiloxane. The cured polysiloxane is prepared by curing (i.e., cross-linking) a polysiloxane prepared by reacting a silane selected from at least one substituted silane having the formula R^1SiX_3 and a mixture comprising the substituted silane and at least one tetrafunctional silane having the formula SiX_4 with water in the presence of an organic solvent. As a result, both the

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